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Ms. Julie McConnell Federal Election Commission 999 E Street, NW Washington, DC 20463

Re: MUR 5365 (Club for Growth)

Dear Ms. McConnell:

On November 1, 2004, I received an October 27, 2004, letter notifying me that the Commission found reason to believe that my clients violated the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended, in the above-captioned matter. The letter also included the Factual and Legal Analysis that formed the basis for this finding The letter requested that we respond to

these materials within 30 days of receipt, which would be December 1, 2004.

Due to the demands of the recently completed election-cycle earlier this month, we respectfully request a 20 day extension of time, until December 21, 2004, to prepare our responses.

Your favorable consideration of this request will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

Carol A. Laham

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